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**RESPONSE TO THE RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**  
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Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Official Action dated **August 24, 2004**.

In the Action, restriction is required between Group (I), Claims 1-5; Group (II), Claims 6-11; and Group (III), Claims 12-15.

Applicants hereby elect the subject matter of Group (I), Claims 1-5 for prosecution in this application. This election is made without traverse, it being understood that the applicants' rights to the filing of a divisional application directed to the non-elected subject matter under 35 USC 120 and 35 USC 121 are retained.

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